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# Past Simple (Irregular verbs)

- **Irregular verbs** are verbs that do not take on the regular endings **-d**, **-ed** or **-ied** spelling pattern of the past simple. They change in other ways.

E.g.

<b>Present</b>	go	sing	sleep	drink
<b>Past</b>	went	sang	slept	drank

- Some irregular verbs do not change in spelling, e.g. the past simple of **read** is **read**. The spelling is the same but the pronunciation is different.
- Other irregular verbs, e.g. **cut**, **hit** and **beat** do not change in spelling or pronunciation.

## A. Write the past simple of the following irregular verbs.

present	past
1. come	
2. take	
3. eat	
4. have	
5. think	
6. buy	
7. feel	
8. keep	
9. meet	
10. do	

**B. Complete the passage with the past simple form of the verbs in brackets.**

Last Saturday, my dad **1)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(take)** my friend, Harry, and I to the circus. My dad **2)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(buy)** us some popcorn and orange juice. We **3)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(sit)** in the front row. We **4)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(see)** lots of things at the circus. There **5)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(be)** some performers who **6)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(come)** onto the stage on horses. They **7)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(do)** some wonderful stunts. We **8)** \_\_\_\_\_ **(have)** a great time at the circus.

